

STOCK-REDUCING SPECIALS
AT
BLUNDELL'S
SEE OUR WINDOWS.

Volume 10.

FIRE DESTROYS ENGINE ROOM OF ROSS PLANT

Building a Total Loss But Rest of Plant Saved—Damage Being Repaired and Plant Will Resume Operations as Soon as Possible.

About four o'clock last Friday afternoon fire broke out in the engine room of the Ross Gas Products plant here and before it was extinguished considerable damage was done to the engine room building was completely destroyed and was not damaged and some machinery was put out of commission. The loss is estimated at about \$20,000 and is covered by insurance.

The fire started from the engine and it is supposed a slight current ignited escaping gas. This caused rapid spreading and the inside of the building was of lumber the blaze soon got beyond control. Engineer Tom Clark, in an endeavor to extinguish the flames was badly burned about the face but his burns are not serious.

Owing to the prompt arrival and prompt work of the brigade the fire was confined to the engine room and within the building which contains the brick making machinery was only about fifteen feet away, very little if any damage was done to it.

Local Oddfellows

To Hold Social

The members of the local Odd Fellows lodge are holding a reunion social in the hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25th, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. A good program is being prepared for the evening and after which refreshments will be served. All those in town and surrounding district who have ever been members of the society are invited to be present.

Will Soon Return

To Pre-War Basis

The return of all British business to a pre-war basis by September 1, next, including re-control of the Canadian wheat crop and revision of the wheat trade to the national grain was forecasted by Cecil Bulpitt, a representative of the agricultural co-operative movement in England, who is now located in Winnipeg.

Mr. Bulpitt received a cable from England Tuesday stating that from April 1, 1920, the British government is going to purchase wheat through the usual importers instead of through government wheat commissions.

CHURCH NOTICES

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Until further notice, Mass will be held in Croy's hall on the fourth Sunday of each month.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN.

Morning and evening service and Sunday school will be held at the usual hour. In the evening the series of illustrated lectures on the hold land will be continued.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

First Sunday in Lent.
Morning and 10:15 11 a. m.
Sunday school 10:15 a. m.
Evening 7:30 p. m.

The W. A. will meet in the Parish hall on Thursday afternoon at 8:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Wm. Shivers, minister.
Service will be held as usual on Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7 o'clock.
Sunday school at 1:45 p. m.

Another Concert by The Local G.W.V.A.

Another record crowd turned out to the Sunday evening 10 p.m. concert at the Amphitheatre theatre again today to the capacity, which shows that these entertainments are meeting with the approval of the public.

The program was an entire change from the last one, showing that Redcliff now has a good supply of local talent from which to choose for each occasion.

The addition of vocal duets and a few other new items to this part of the program and the band furnished selections in place of the orchestra. The several numbers given by the band were greatly enjoyed and the sections were well chosen for the occasion. This organization shows improvement every time it appears before the public.

The class of music played on Sunday evening was of a high order and well played in a creditable manner. The vocal selections brought out more new talent and every item was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

CANADA MAKES POSITION CLEAR ON THE TREATY

Will Consent to No Impairment of Her Status and Voting Rights.

"If the United States senate should adopt the Lennox reservation, either in its original form or amended as now suggested, and should also adopt the preamble as proposed, Canada as one of the dominions of the British empire and a party to the treaty, would be called upon to decide what action she should take under these conditions. There can be no possible doubt that Canada's decision would be to refuse to consent to any impairment of her status and voting rights under the treaty. Therefore, when final action is taken by the government of the United States, if the ratification can only be effected in Canada's absence, the ratification cannot go into effect so far as Canada is concerned. As Canada will not consent to that, it is the duty of the government of the United States to make the treaty in the absence of the prime minister, during the absence of the prime minister, acting as plenipotentiary, Canada's position in the treaty is clear in the United States."

The short growing season can be lengthened by planting earlier in the spring than is commonly practiced. At the Scott Experimental Station, the potatoes planted on May 8th have, during a five-year period, given an average yield of 20 bushels per acre over the potatoes planted on May 25th. Since potatoes planted early may be frozen down by the spring frosts it is important to use large-sized sets in order to supply plant food to carry the plants through adverse weather conditions. In the tests, tubers having three eyes have yielded 31 bushels more per acre than where sets were cut down to one eye. Hastening the start of the potatoes by developing sprouts before planting has in some measure overcome the handicap caused by the short season. Tubers sown in a warm light room have shown, on an average, an increase of 46 bushels per acre over potatoes that had no sprouts developed before planting.

Many Flu Cases Now in Province

To date, 700 cases of influenza have been reported from various parts of Alberta. The disease is apparently gaining ground and the reports indicate that it is spreading to the points of the compass. Chip Lake, 80 miles west of Edmonton, has 10 cases, and an equal number is reported by the police from Kenora in the Saskatchewan district. Calgary has 303 cases, of which 192 are newly reported, and Edmonton has 24, most of which have come in from outside points.

There is an outbreak in the Junkins settlement, west of Estevan, and south of Lacombe, where the disease was reported some days ago. The cases are said to be of a fairly bad type, though there have not yet been any deaths.

To Complete Line Through Manyberries

During the afternoon session of the Grain Growers' convention in Saskatoon last Friday, announcement was made a wire had been received from D. C. Coleman of the C. P. R., that the line on the Westburn-Lethbridge line between Alameda and Manyberries will be completed in the near future, which will be a great convenience to the grain growers in the area, before the line is completed and that every effort will be put forward to complete the line by next year.

SCHOOL NEWS.

The St. Valentine's school held in Redcliff by the High School Literary Society, on Friday last, was indeed a success. The evening concert was a musical program which was very much enjoyed by all present. One of the most interesting items on the program was a negro dialogue, featuring a cake walk, by six members of the school orchestra. After the program a number of frolic games were played, which put a great deal of life to the events of the evening.

Following these games was a dance given by the members of the Literary Society. After lunch more games were played and the Valentine box was opened. This added much to the pleasure of the day. It seemed so short a time until 10 o'clock approached when all joined hands and sang.

A beautiful valentine was received at the school last Friday in the form of a poem. This is a thing that has been denied very badly at the school for a long time. The valentine was thankfully received by all. It will also add much to the musical part of the literary program.

Lloyd Colwell was forced to leave school Tuesday on account of sudden illness. He is at present convalescing at his home. It is hoped by all that he will be able to attend school soon.

Mrs. Anna Ross is again able to resume her studies at school, after a week's sickness.

Last report of Julien Colwell, one of our country boys at a leading medical school in Medicine Hat, was that he is "progressing favorably, after a week or more of sickness in Medicine Hat."

Visitors always welcome at the school.

Some Pointers For Planting Potatoes

In attempting to lower the high cost of living some consideration should be given to increasing the supply of potatoes. This crop is one of the most important used as well as one that can be the most rapidly increased of all the crops that are grown for human consumption.

In the prairie provinces four factors play an important part in decreasing the returns from the potato crop: these are a short growing season, insufficient rainfall, shortage of labor and lack of storage facilities.

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"Take Me" Says The Crown Prince

Former Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany has offered to give himself up to the allies in face of the hundred of Germans demanded extradition on the last recently submitted to Berlin, according to a telegram purporting to have come from him published in the Handshaken of Amsterdam.

The telegram is addressed to the kings of England, Belgium and Italy, the president of France and the United States, and the emperor of Japan. In it, the ex-crown prince said that he had no regrets developed before planting.

"As the ex-crown prince, I wish to take the place of my countrymen, if they are to be asked to surrender. I desire a victim. Let them take me instead of the 900 Germans who were committed no other crime than to serve their country in war."

LOCAL G. W. V. A. NOTES.

The dance advertised to take place on Friday 27th under the auspices of the G. W. V. A., has been cancelled, as the band is giving a dance on that night.

The Ladies Auxiliary in connection with the G. W. V. A. meet on the second Wednesday of each month instead of the first Wednesday in the past.

Preparations are being made for a big dance in Redcliff on St. Patrick's night, March 17th. A special effort will be made to bring this one of the events of the season. Don't miss it.

Remember the week-end dance next Saturday evening.

CAPT. PINGLE SWORN IN AS NEW SPEAKER

One of the first items of business taken up in the provincial legislature which is now in session, was the appointment of a speaker of the house, Capt. C. Pingle, member for the division of the Dominion, was nominated for the position by Premier Stewart and seconded by Hon. J. R. Bruden.

After a short debate, Capt. Pingle was elected and shortly after took the oath of office. After donning his official robes and taking his seat, Mr. Pingle addressed the legislature as follows: "I do not wish to thank you, the members of the legislature assembly, my friends and hearty thanks for the high honor you have conferred upon me by electing me as your speaker. I am deeply grateful to accept it. It is my pleasure as it is my duty, to endeavor to discharge that honor by dealing with all questions which come before me in my official capacity. I realize my unfitness for the position, but rely confidently upon the co-operation of the honorable members on all sides of the house to assist me in maintaining our rules and regulations in violation of which I have no right to interfere, and in preserving the dignity and freedom of debate according to ancient usage."

Want Price on Seed Wheat \$2.40

"The rural municipalities convention in Edmonton passed a resolution calling for the sale of seed wheat at \$2.40," said C. W. Stewart, Dominion seed commissioner, on his return to Calgary from the north recently. "This was a similar resolution to that passed at the U. P. A. convention. I understand that the matter is also being taken up at the Grain Growers' convention in Saskatchewan."

"It is very important that seed wheat should be distributed while the conditions are good, and if the matter of price were settled we should be making large shipments now. It is to be hoped word will be received shortly in order that there may be no delay in shipping. There is a heavy demand for seed and they are being sent out. Seed wheat bought at the present time costs the farmer \$2.30 a bushel. A considerable quantity has been shipped this high price, from the wheat board, but since the passage of the resolution at the U. P. A. convention many farmers have withheld their seed in the hope that they would be able to get seed wheat at the lower figure."

Course For First Aid Is Shortened

The Provincial Council of the St. John Ambulance Association for the North has been advised by the National Council of Canada that in view of a possible epidemic of influenza, the ordinary period of six weeks for a course in Home Nursing or First Aid may be shortened to three weeks, having two lectures given first instead of one as is the usual requirement. Communitaries desiring to see such instruction should communicate with the provincial secretary of the St. John Ambulance Association, University of Alberta, Edmonton.

No General Scheme For Financing Irrigation

"We do not contemplate any legislation to today," General scheme for the financing of all irrigation projects in the province, but each scheme will be dealt with on its individual merits, was the declaration of Premier Charl. Stewart Monday afternoon to a delegation from Medicine Hat asking financial assistance in the way of bond guarantees for the Ross Creek and Seven Persons river projects.

This declaration of the premier is the first official utterance on the course that the province will pursue in dealing with irrigation projects. While assistance to the Medicine Hat projects was refused until more complete figures were made before the cabinet, the premier expounding the rule that the government must have every possible amount of information before it moves in any such project.

Incidentally, the premier laid a high compliment to Engineer G. N. Houston of the Dominion Irrigation department, saying that his figures on the Lethbridge Northern project, which have been made over by the department engineer and the special engineer employed by the provincial government, especially with the reports of its experts as regards water supply, feasibility, etc., the only differences being on cost figures.

HEALTH CONDITION IN THE PROVINCE TO BE IMPROVED

State Minister of Health—Would Have All Children Examined Twice a Year—Clean Bill of Health Before Marriage.

In an address in Calgary last Tuesday Hon. A. G. McKay, Minister of public health, showed what the provincial government was doing, and what it still further intends doing in reducing the death rate in maternity cases. In dealing with the health inspection of school children by public health nurses, the minister stated that this would be made obligatory soon. "We hope within the next three years we will have school inspection throughout the whole of Alberta," he said.

The speaker stated that what was needed was co-operation. It was not intended that they should out of the individual responsibility, but it was absolutely essential that every child should be examined once or twice a year, if not at home, then by public health nurses.

The speaker closed with much applause when he remarked that the government of this province had no right to send young married couples to the unsettled districts unless the government could at least take care of them. He mentioned the case of a husband who had to travel 10 miles to a telephone only to find that the doctor was 35 miles away. The result was that two lives were lost; said the minister.

In referring to diseases, Mr. McKay stated that tuberculosis was a menace to the province. There were, as he said, at the present time between 8,000 and 4,000 people who would be under treatment; and in speaking of venereal disease he mentioned that the number of cases in Calgary was 1,000. He mentioned the case of a husband who had to travel 10 miles to a telephone only to find that the doctor was 35 miles away. The result was that two lives were lost; said the minister.

Will Not Effect The Alberta Farmers

When interviewed recently H. W. Wood, president of the U. P. A., said he could not say what effect the decision of the National Grain Growers' convention in deferring action in provincial politics for one year would have on the farmers of Alberta. Mr. Wood stated that as far as this province was concerned the matter was not discussed at the recent U. P. A. convention.

Edmonton and Calgary had the right to take whatever action it chose. It would therefore be seen, in his view, that they were somewhat differently placed. In the case of Edmonton, where the point was settled on the floor of the convention hall. The actual effect of this, as far as the farmers were concerned, was a matter which would concern each federal district. How they were to be affected by the action of the National Grain Growers' convention was a question prepared to hazard even a guess.

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PATTERSON'S BREAD
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Number 8.

GET READY FOR THE BIG DRIVE NEXT WEEK

All Money for Presbyterian Forward Movement to Go Towards Building a Church in Redcliff—Drive on Next Week

The managers of the Presbyterian church have completed arrangements for their big drive which will be carried on throughout the town all next week. At a meeting held last Monday night the town was divided into districts and canvassers appointed for each district. It is the intention for these canvassers to start out on their rounds next Monday and continue until the work is completed.

This drive is part of the great Forward Movement which is now being carried on throughout Canada for the purpose of raising funds to carry on the work of the five leading Protestant churches of the country.

In addition to the drive, all the money subscribed in Redcliff during this drive will go towards building a new church in Redcliff. The managers of the drive are confident that the money so collected will be credited to Redcliff as her share in the great movement.

In another column of this issue will be found thirteen reasons why every citizen of the town should be interested in the drive. It is the intention that should subscribe liberally to the cause. Read them over so that you will be thoroughly conversant with them and be prepared to get down to business when the canvassers call on you. By so doing you will help classify the names of the canvassers and make the drive more successful. Let us all get into the game and do our bit.

The Outlook For Irrigation in Alberta

The rainfall of the province varies from upwards of 26 inches in certain sections to as little as 8 or 10 inches for the drive project sections. In these sections of low annual rainfall, the rainfall is not sufficient to grow the crops for the purposes of irrigation.

The total area to which irrigation water was supplied in the Lethbridge district during 1919 was 82,230 acres, with the following distribution as to crops and yields:

Crop	Area	Yield per acre
Wheat	82,230	20 bushels
Barley	12,500	20 bushels
Alfalfa	11,608	3.5 tons
Timothy	8,142	11 tons
Oats	1,510	10 bushels
Potatoes	2,338	200 bushels
Green Feed	2,101	5 tons
Mixed Grasses	1,408	1 ton
Flax	1,911	10 bushels
Barley	1,000	20 bushels
Garden (truck)	162	2,000,000
Roads	121	5 tons feed
Corn	25	6 tons feed
Total acreage	82,230	
Value of Crop—\$48,542.		

As compared with the estimated amount of land under crop in the southern part of the province as 2 1/2 million acres. Had this entire amount been irrigated, it would have meant \$118,000,000 in increased production.

It is true that this amount can never be subjected to irrigation, but it is possible to irrigate 655,000 acres of the present acreage, or be increased by 660 per cent, which would increase revenue of 35 million dollars for that entire area, even for a year as compared as 1919.

The outlook for future development of irrigable lands seems so indefinite that the following acreage might soon be subjected to irrigation practices: The Bow River—Crowsnest district, 120,000.

Increase in Raynord, Magrath, Stirling districts, 50,000.

Lethbridge Northern district, 100,000.

West Carleton, Line Rock, South district, 50,000.

Chin, Teber, Grassy Lake, 180,000. Total, 635,000.

The regular meeting of the town council will be held next Monday morning.

Good growers in Calgary are on the increase and the value of grain's milk for children is being more widely appreciated.

E-KON-O-ME SALE

The mills never grind with the water that has passed. Opportunities to Save must be grasped as they present themselves



Of The Hicks Trading Co's Entire Stock of
HIGH GRADE CLOTHING, BOOTS. and SHOES
and GENTS' FURNISHINGS

Just as E-Kon-o-Me is the soul of thrift, so are Genuine Bargains the soul of This Sale. Everything in the store to be sold at prices that will act as a bracing tonic to all sick pocketbooks, and restore to action that broken down buying power of your dollars. Now is your chance to beat The High Cost of Living. A visit will convince you.

Remember The Time and The Place, and Don't Forget The Coupon

Sale Opens Saturday, Feb. 21st, at 10 o'clock a.m. For Ten Fast Selling Days

Below are Only a Few of the Many Bargains You Get at This Sale

MEN'S SUITS

Reg. \$35.00 values Men's Suits, grey and brown mixtures, in tweed or worsted materials; these suits are well made and of good style;
E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$24.95**
Reg. \$45.00 values in Young Men's Suits; newest style, British tweeds or worsteds... E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$28.95**
(Closing out all men's suits.)

FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR

Reg. \$1.50 Men's Sanitary Fleece Lined Underwear, Penman's Brand; the kind that won't itch, but the price will tickle you. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **89c**
Reg. \$4.50 Stanfield's Blue Label Underwear; need we say more; E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$2.95**

SHOE BARGAINS

Reg. \$12.00 Men's Slater-Shoes in brown or black, button lace, Dress Boots. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$7.45**
Reg. \$10.00 values Men's Dress Boots in Velour or Box Calf leather; E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$5.95**
All Ladies' Plain Rubbers..... 98c

SWEATERS

Reg. \$3.00 Boys' Jersey Pullovers **\$1.49c**
Reg. \$18.00 Men's Heavy Jumbo Knit Sweater Coats **\$12.95**
Now selling at **\$12.95**
Reg. \$8.00 Men's Pullover Sweaters **\$5.95**

MACKINAW COATS

Reg. \$15.00 Men's Mackinaw Coats, the large rooney kind with shawl collars; several patterns; reg. values \$15.00. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$9.95**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Reg. \$2.00 heavy ribbed Underwear that won't underwear. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price... **\$1.19**
Reg. Stanfield Ribbed Combination; all wool and unshrinkable. Going at..... **\$4.95**

FREE COUPONS

The first twenty-five customers in the store on Saturday, the opening day of this sale, who purchases ten dollars or over worth of merchandise will receive a coupon to the value of \$2.00.

EVERY ARTICLE MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

Reg. \$3.00 Heavy Flannel Work Shirts; all sizes. Sale Price..... **\$1.99**
Reg. \$2.00 Men's Washable Work Shirts; dark or light patterns; all sizes. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price..... **\$1.29**

LADIES' SWEATER COATS

Reg. \$12.50 value **\$8.95**
Here ladies is just that sweater you need; made of close knitted pure wool, with belt and large collar. Reg. 12.50. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$8.95**

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Reg. \$2.00, button or lace, kid boots, sizes 2 to 7. E-Kon-O-Me Sale... **\$1.45**
Reg. up to \$5.00 values in child's boots, kid or calf leathers; just right for school wear; sizes 3 to 10 1/2. **\$2.95**

MEN'S ODD PANTS

Reg. up to \$7.50 values Men's Heavy Corduroy Pants; strong and serviceable. Sale Price **\$3.95**
Reg. \$4.00 Men's Worsted Pants, belt loops loop and cuff; they can't be beat. E-Kon-O-Me Price **\$2.45**

BOYS' SUITS

Reg. \$15.00 Boys' Suits, made strong; tweeds, brown or grey mixtures, with American bloomer pants, patent knee fasteners. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price **\$9.95**
Reg. \$10.00 Boys' Suits to be sold while they last at **\$5.95**

OVERALLS AND PANTS

Reg. \$2.50 Men's blue slide Overalls. Sale Price **\$1.69**
Reg. \$1.75 Children's Combination Overalls. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price..... **\$1.38**
Reg. \$6.00 Men's Heavy Tweed Pants, going at **\$3.65**

ECONOMISE BY SPENDING

Reg. \$22.00 Travelling Trunk \$16.45 **25 Per Cent. Discount Off All Hats**

Reg. **\$2.75**
Children's 2 Buckle Overshoes
Sale Price **\$1.95**

MEN'S CAPS

Reg. \$3.00 Men's Caps; several styles to choose from; all sizes. E-Kon-O-Me Sale Price..... **\$1.95**
Reg. 20c Men's White Handkerchiefs; sale price **12c**

Nothing Reserved but the Clerks

BARGAINS IN HOSE

Reg. \$1.00 Men Socks 74c
Reg. 50c Men's Socks 33c
Reg. \$1.25 Cashmere Socks..... 98c
Reg. 75c Boys' Socks..... 50c
Reg. 85c Ladies' Hose..... 50c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Reg. up to \$2.50 Men's Dress Shirts. Sale Price..... **\$1.49**
Reg. \$3.00 values Men's Dress Shirts reversible cuffs; all sizes. E-Kon-O-Me Sale... **\$1.95**

Reg. \$1.00 Men's Braces Sale Price 69c

\$9.00 Boys' Mackinaws Sale **\$5.95**

All Boys and Children's Coats Selling Below Present Day Cost

The Hicks Trading Co.
GENT'S FURNISHINGS
Redcliff, Alta.
NEXT TO THE REDCLIFF HOTEL

Store Open Nights During Sale

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Columbia Records for March just in at Blundell's. Ask for a list.

Gibson's & Tupper's closing out sale is still in progress. See their adv. on the last page.

Mayor Holt is spending a few days this week in Regina and district on business.

The Hicks Trading Company here is putting on a big sale commencing next Saturday. See their adv. on page three of this issue.

Rex Rose, of the Box Springs district, is at present in the Medicine Hat hospital. According to latest reports he is progressing favorably.

C. V. Gibson left on Monday of this year week for Moran, Ala., on business in connection with his farm in that district.

Another good crowd attended the G. W. V. a. week-end dance last Saturday evening. These dances are now becoming quite popular.

Mrs. J. Brayley, an old resident of Redcliff, arrived in town last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Geo. McKay. Miss Annie accompanied her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gust, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gibson for the past few weeks, left last Monday for Ontario where they will visit friends.

A number of cows and cattle have been killed on the C. P. R. right-of-way around here lately. Two more lambs were run down last Friday and both had to be destroyed.

Mr. H. Hutchinson, who has been on a trip down through Iowa, Illinois and Minnesota, returned to Redcliff this week to visit Mrs. Hutchinson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of Carleton Place, Ont., who are on a pleasure trip to British Columbia and California, are spending a few days in town with the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLachlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson of this town, celebrated the fifty-first anniversary of their wedding yesterday. Their many friends here extended to them their very best wishes on this occasion and trust they may long be spared to enjoy amongst us.

Keep in mind the drive to be undertaken by the managers of the Presbyterian church next week. The money raised in this drive will go towards building a new church in Redcliff. If they call for the canvassers when they call.

The U. F. W. A. of Box Springs, gave a whist drive in the hall last Friday evening. There was a good crowd in attendance and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The prize winners were Mrs. J. J. Whitehead and W. E. Bealard.

Mr. B. Macdonald, an old and well known resident of Medicine Hat, died suddenly in the hospital last Sunday morning morning. He had contracted a severe cold which affected his heart. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon and was conducted by the Masonic order.

A liberal display of ice and confection in front of the Redcliff hotel last Monday morning excited some curiosity and on investigation it was found that a young couple from Medicine Hat were spending their honeymoon here. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Sinclair were the happy couple.

A good crowd attended the whist drive and dance last evening in the G. W. V. A. club rooms. Great interest was taken in the whist drive, at the close of which the scores were close. The winners were Mrs. A. N. Colford and Mr. Hone, while the consolation went to Miss B. Rich and Mr. A. E. Shriver. After cards refreshments were served and the dance was the last item on the program. On the whole the evening was a great success.

Miss Violet Gibson, who has been on the staff of the Imperial bank here for some time, has received her commission with that institution and has accepted a position with the Illinois-White Chautauqui Company. Miss Gibson has always been a pleasant and careful employee of the bank here and we have no doubt that her experience will fit her for her new position. Her many friends here will watch with interest her career in her new undertaking.

John Ellis is confined to his bed this week suffering from a severe cold.

C. H. Chabot, who has been visiting his cousin, the Bodard brothers, of Box Springs, left last Tuesday for his home at Leduc, Alta.

W. Keats left last Monday night for Calgary to attend the Grand Lodge meeting of the Odd Fellows which is in session there this week.

Mrs. C. Walker, Fifth street, entertained the girls of the Junior W. A. at her house on Monday evening. A bazaar received from Mrs. Harbert was greatly admired. Lunch was served and a lengthy program, followed with many games, followed.

BIRTHS

WALLOP—In Redcliff, on Sunday, February 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Wallop, a daughter.

MOSES—In Redcliff, on Sunday, February 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moses, a daughter.

McKAY—In Redcliff, on Friday, February 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKay, a daughter.

HOWARD—In Calgary, on Friday, February 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard, formerly of Redcliff, a son.

CAMPBELL—In Redcliff, on Friday, February 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, a son.

LOGELIN—In Redcliff, on Saturday, January 31st, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Logelin, a son.

TO RENT—150 acres of land for spring crop located one and one-half miles west of Redcliff post office. Inquire of Jacob Landis.

Mrs. A. Woods, maternity home, 224A Breckenridge street, Medicine Hat. Fully modern; close in. Phone 2974. Terms \$2.50 to \$4.00.

STRAYED—From T. Irwin's farm near Howell, one red muley cow, branded round circle with T inside. Anyone giving information will be suitably rewarded. 7-2

STRAYED—Two black hounds, license Nos. 58 and 59. Reward offered for their recovery. Fred Bellie, Redcliff.

WANTED—Boy as junior clerk for Imperial Bank. Apply to manager on by letter.

FOR SALE—Two cows and one pure bred Holstein heifer; also stable and pure bred Harrow Rock hens; one sideboard, fancy oak dresser, phonograph, one large writing table, one dining room set and fancy chowchow. Mrs. F. Morgan, Eighth street. 7-5

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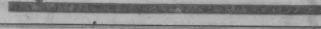
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